

## WILDLAND URBAN INTERFACE

## ISSUE

Areas of potential wildfire loss where the wildland (forest) changes to the urban (structural) setting. Become 'Firewise':

- Create a 'defensible space' by removing all dead vegetation within 30 feet of all buildings.
- Keep roofs and eaves free of needles, leaves, and overhanging branches
- Make sure your home's address or fire number is visible from the road
- Widen driveways for fire department access

## **FUN FACT**

Some plants have fire-resistive qualities that may slow the spread of a wildfire near your home!

## **CHECK OUT**

www.dnr.state.wi.us/org/land/forestry/fire or www.firewise.org

Keep your home and property safe from wildfire.

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